

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re: Application of: Benno SYFRIG  
Filing Date: June 19, 2006  
Ser. No.: Not yet known  
Title: Method and Drill Bit for Extracting a Root  
of a Tooth  
Customer Number: 22846

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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June 19, 2006

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of this application, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.